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VDOT HOT SPOTS FOR THE FREDERICKSBURG REGION *April 12 – April 18, 2015*

Stafford County

Interstate 95 South

(Update) On Thursday at midnight there will be a brief closure of all lanes on I-95 south at mile marker 131.5 located just north of Exit 130 (Rt. 3/Fredericksburg). All traffic will be stopped for approximately 15 minutes. Crews will be transporting a large crane from the median to the right shoulder. Virginia State Police will assist with traffic control during the closure.

Route 1 South at Falmouth

(Update) Monday – Thursday, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.; motorists will be restricted to one lane on Route 1 south in the vicinity of the Falmouth intersection. Crews will be performing curb work.

Butler Road

(Update) Sunday – Thursday, 9 p.m. – 6 a.m.; motorists will be restricted to one lane on the westbound side of Butler Road at Carter Street. Crews will be installing a water line in this area. Flaggers will direct motorists through the work zone.

Route 3 Business (Kings Highway)

Tuesday – Friday, 8 p.m. – 4 a.m.; crews will be milling and paving on the westbound side of Route 3 (Kings Highway) from the Blue and Gray Parkway to the railroad overpass located just west of Cool Springs Road. Motorists will be restricted to one lane in the work zone.

Hunter's Trail

Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.; Crews will be paving on various streets in the Hunter's Trail subdivision. Motorists should expect brief delays, a rough driving surface and be alert to construction crew and equipment in the area.

Stone Hill

Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.; Crews will be paving on various streets in the Stone Hill subdivision. Motorists should expect brief delays, a rough driving surface and be alert to construction crews and equipment in the area.

Settler's Landing

Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.; Crews will be paving on various streets in the Settler's Landing subdivision. Motorists should expect brief delays, a rough driving surface and be alert to construction crews and equipment in the area.

Routine Maintenance Activities

(Update) Monday - Friday, 6 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.; crews will be performing routine maintenance that may cause brief travel delays at the following locations:

New Hope Road – machining

Poplar Road - patching

Ferry Road – patching

Stony Hill – patching

Cool Spring Road – median mowing

Deacon Road – median mowing

Route 3 (Chatham area) – median mowing

Spotsylvania County

Leavells Road

(Update) Sunday, 7 p.m. to 11 a.m. northbound Leavells Road, and 7 p.m. to 10 a.m. on southbound Leavells Road. Paving and striping work for intersection improvement project. Periodic lane closures.

Route 2/17 Business

Tuesday – Friday, 8 p.m. – 6 a.m.; crews will be milling and paving on Route 2/17 Business between Powell Street and the Fredericksburg City limits. Expect delays.

Falcon Drive

Tuesday - Friday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.; crews will be paving on Falcon Drive between Mine Road and the cul-de-sac. Expect brief delays.

Market Street

Tuesday - Friday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.; crews will be paving on Market Street between Route 1 and Spotsylvania Avenue. Expect brief delays.

Route 17/Benchmark Road/Crossroads Parkway

Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 3 p.m. Motorists should expect lane closures and brief traffic stops on Route 17 at Benchmark Road and Crossroads Parkway, located just east of the CSX railroad tracks and west of Jim Morris Road. Flaggers will direct motorists through the work zone. This work is related to construction of a new Virginia Railway Express station and parking lot. This project is being administered by Spotsylvania County.

City of Fredericksburg

Fall Hill Avenue

(New) Wednesday – Thursday, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.; motorists will be restricted to one lane in each direction on Fall Hill Avenue between Gordon W. Shelton Blvd. and Carl D. Silver Pkwy. Crews will be removing the existing median and placing temporary pavement in this area. This work is in connection with the Fall Hill Avenue Widening Project.

Under Construction

Spotsylvania County

Leavells Road at Harrison Road

The median and turn lane improvement project at the Route 639 (Leavells Road) and Route 620 (Harrison Road) intersection is underway. Motorists should be prepared for lane closures, construction activity and temporary traffic patterns through April 2015, when the project will be completed.

Loriella Park Drive

The road is currently closed with a detour in place. The fixed completion date for this project is April 25, 2015.

Plantation Forest Drive

Construction will continue with single-lane closures through April 2015.

Stafford County

Route 17

Construction is underway to widen Route 17 from four to six lanes between McLane Drive and Stafford Lakes Parkway, a distance of nearly 2 miles. The work zone extends from just south of the I-95 interchange to Cardinal Forest Drive. Motorists should be alert to changes in traffic pattern and periodic overnight lane closures. Project completion date is December 2016.

Falmouth Intersection (Route 1/Route 17 Business/Route 218)

Construction is underway. Motorists should be prepared for brief delays and periodic lane closures on Butler Road and Route 1 just north and south of the Falmouth intersection. Project completion date is September 2015.

King George

Route 218 @ Machodoc Creek

Construction is underway on the Machodoc Creek bridge replacement project. Traffic on the bridge has been reduced to one lane. Temporary traffic signals at each approach to the bridge control traffic crossing the bridge. The signals will remain in place through July 2015. Motorists can expect an additional 5-10 minutes to cross the bridge during peak travel times on weekday mornings and afternoons. In addition, a 10 foot lane width restriction for vehicles is in place.